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LOCAL NEWS

Monroe Fields takes the Courier to keep his republicanism from getting too strong and the Louisville Herald to hold down his democracy. As between the two fires a pleasant medium is found.

WHY not send your kodak-finishing to BUTLER, the regular photographer, Lexington, Ky., 129 W. Main. Quick Service. Special attention paid to mail orders. 4t

TAKEN UP—One stray black horse mule at my place, owner can have same by paying for feed, and \$2 for this advertising.

Harvie Adington, Whitesburg.

Mrs. A. C. Brown and children and Mrs. Duard Underwood and baby are visiting relatives in West Virginia.

Mrs. T. G. Wright and children, of Lynch Mines are visiting Mrs. Jennie Blair and other relatives in town.

Owing to so much rain, cool nights and too little sunshine growing truck is not looking very good.

Lewis E. Harvie is on a ten days visit with relatives at his old home, Danville, Va.

Mrs. Nancy Lewis, a most estimable lady, is a 12 months ahead Eagle subscriber. Thanks!

Irb Dug, after an absence of over 30 years, is visiting his brother, W. S. Vermillion, here. He is considerably older than he used to be when he rode that little mule.

Judge Wm. Worthington, of the Fayette Circuit Court district and who was elected only last fall, died a few days ago from an operation for gall-stones. For a number of years he was a business visitor to our county where he was well and favorably known. He was a native of Greenup county and son of the late Lieut.-Gov. Worthington.

Memorial Day was rather carelessly observed here. However quite a few wended there ways to the silent cities of their dead, and decorated sleeping places with flowers to their memories.

This week we print the graduating address of Miss Gertrude Lewis. Next week we will print the address of Miss Estelle Webb and will print the rest of these addresses from week to week provided copies of same are furnished.

Hon. John W. Langly candidate for Congress to succeed him self and who is probably looking for opposition in the primary in August was registered at the

Hotel Daniel Boone and consulting with some of his friends.

Of the many guests registered at the Daniel Boone the past few days were E. L. Walters, cashier of the First National Bank, John G. Smith and M. A. Dunlap, of Jenkins; Mrs. John W. Langley, Washington, D. C.; Sam Chenaut, Louisville; J. L. McCormick, Big Stone Gap, and a dozen or more good business men from Hazard.

Let it be remembered from about this time of year on the water that stands and flows in the Northfork is probably full of typhoid and other poisonous germs. Bathing in it may not inoculate you with these germs but it is far from a safe risk. Think once of the vast amounts of impurities dumped into even from Blackey up and think how liable it may be for death and destruction to lurk in the waters.

The Kentucky River Power Co. apparently is coming into Whitesburg. Surveyors are at work on the line from Dalna toward this place and it is said construction work will start at once.

J. R. Smith, Engelhard shoe man of Louisville, was here seeing the merchants.

Rev. A. M. Tate, pastor of the First Baptist Church here, is locating with his family in town. The Eagle extends the hand of welcome.

Circuit Clerk Combs arrived home Tuesday from Lexington very much improved in health. It is believed now he will soon be a well man again.

Advertising placed in the Eagle is read by thousands of intelligent people. Each week two thousand readers await the coming of it to see what is beautiful in it together with the new advertising.

Esq. Elijah Hale, of the Carr, Knott County section starts an ad in the Eagle this week. You will see he is the retailer for the celebrated Watkins Products, said to be the best manufactured and he will be glad to see you at your home or mail anything in his line to you. Write him at Bath or Red Fox, Ky.

Dr. P. E. Sloan, the new Dentist at Seco, enrolls as a new reader and places a neat little ad in the Eagle. He is an excellent young man, belongs to one of our oldest and best families and will no doubt climb rapidly in his profession.

Tom Fairchild returned from a few weeks business stay at Inez.

Miss Estell Sergent returned to Lexington where she will finish her business course in college.

Miss Rebecca Tolliver left for Fleming where she accepts a position in a store.

Prof. Harris has been at Jackson for several days employed in clerical work.

Commodore Craft, hustling

and Miss Gertrude Hunsucker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Hunsucker, all of Sergeant, were married a few days ago. The Eagle extends best wishes and hopes for a long prosperous life for the happy pair.

In publishing the Eagle we take pride and try to make it the best possible under the circumstances. In our job printing we do the same. We guarantee to please. In our struggles to make the Eagle and in our earnest efforts to please we ask the aid of all. We feel just like we are entitled to it and that our fair and unprejudiced people will see that we get it.

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The great memorial for twenty or more years in construction to the honor of our martyred President, Abraham Lincoln, was dedicated on the banks of the Potomac in Washington City on May 30. Thousands stood with heads bare in the sun and listened to speeches delivered by ex-President Taft and President Harding. It has been our pleasure to walk around this wonderful piece of architecture, set in a lovely valley between two hills, commanding them by its entrancing beauty, the culmination of the highest art of which America is capable. There on the banks of the majestic Potomac, the boundary line between the North and the South, where the burdens of passion and death once rolled, it peculiarly occupies a unique position. The statue of Lincoln alone weighs 20 tons.

Most of the land owners on the State Highway from Ermine to Mayking have parted with the right of way for the road. Quite a number contributed the right of way while the others parted with it very reasonable. This section is truly alive to progress and the good interest of their section will profit much by that action.

As we go to press a quiet wetting rain is falling which is needed in some parts. After having so much rain in the past month an extended dry spell would very seriously injure young crops and gardens.

R. D. Boggs, formerly of Corbettsville, after residing here for several months, moved to Bulan, Perry County.

The daily papers say that the rail-men whose wages are expected to be cut on July 1 may strike on July 5. It is said that ballots will be sent out to test the pulse of the workmen as to what they think about it.

Buy a Ford and spend the difference—says the adv.

Road Bonds Sold

The Letcher Fiscal Court in session here Tuesday sold to J. C. Mayer & Co., of Cincinnati, O., \$279,000 worth of Letcher County Road Bonds. The bonds were sold at par value and bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent from and after July 1, 1922. The interest is to be paid semi-annually. The bonds are to be paid as follows: \$13,000 on July 1 of each year beginning on July 1, 1931, and yearly until 1951 and \$19,000 on July 1, 1952. That is to say, all the bonds will be due and payable on the date last above mentioned—being thirty year bonds, the first of same being due and payable in ten years.

Notice

There are several small jury claims, most of which are for one day, for parties summoned for jury service at the April term 1922 of the Letcher Circuit Court. The parties to whom they belong can secure same by writing the Clerk and enclosing return postage.

Big Cut in Wages

The United States Labor Board in its meeting cut a lop-off of what it is said will amount to \$48,000,000 in wages in a year from railroad employees, to become effective July 1, 1922. The reduction amounts to about 5 cents per hour or 50 cents per day of ten hours. 400,000, mostly maintenance of way laborers, will be affected, 1,500 men in Kentucky alone will feel the cut. It is said the railroads predict a new era of development opening the way for the employment of 200,000 more men and that the expenses of living will be much reduced.

Lost Everything

A few days ago the home of Jos. E. Cornett, on Dry Fork, caught fire and in spite of everything that could be done was destroyed. He saved only a trunk and a few small things. He has a large family and is left almost penniless. He is one of our best citizens and will appreciate anything the people do for him in the way of financial help.

Marriages

In the past few days marriage licenses have been issued as follows:

Arthur Banks 22 to Mary Cornett 17, Linfork.

Commodore Craft 21 to Gertrude Hunsucker 18, Sergeant.

Robert McRay 20 to Lizzie Hampton 18, Deane.

Frank Wright 35 to Augusta Beverly 29, Dunham.

Elijah Wilson 22 to Ora Dixon 16, Blahey.

Luther Phillips 37 to Linney Kelly 23, Millstone.

Ben Mullins 41 to Healthy Wright 35, Dunham.

Ivory Kinser 21 to Rosie Adams 18, Mayking.

Teachers should attend the summer school beginning next Monday. Same credit as at Richmon.

The greater nobler things of life are not to be achieved stand-

"LAUNCH OUT INTO THE DEEP"

Being the Graduation Address of
MISS GERTRUDE MARIE LEWIS
Evening of May 19, 1922

Nearly 2000 years ago the Savion of the world stood upon the shore of Lake Geneseret and saw two ships standing there. He entered into one that belonged to Simon and asked him to thrust out a little from land that he might address the vast multitude that pressed upon him to catch his gracious words. And, after speaking to the people for some time, he told Simon to "launch out into the deep" and let down his nets for a draught. Simon replied, "We have toiled all night and have taken nothing; nevertheless, at thy word, I will let down the net." When he had done this the net enclosed a great multitude of fishes.

From that time on, this fisherman became an apostle to spread the glad tidings and establish the greatest kingdom of all time—the kingdom of the Christ. These words come to us tonight as we look out upon the great ocean of Life. In our little barques we have been keeping near the shore. We have been contenting ourselves with gathering beautiful shells that the waves have washed upon the shore. But now we turn to seek greater things and to do mightier works. We must launch out into the deep.

There is no time to lose for our natural life ceases after a short period of time. Like our calendar year, it is made up of four seasons. It has one spring for birth and childhood, for growth and play, for the ending of youthful dreams and the beginning of love. It has this spring for both human and divine, that quality which so greatly characterizes us among strangers and which launches us into the world with people of high rank and good social standing, and in heaven with all its purity and happiness. One summer for labor, strife and passion; one summer to overcome shipwrecks and hardships, to inaugurate itself with knowledge and wisdom. One autumn in which to gather the fruits of its deeds and labors and to live upon them, whether they be bitter or whether they be sweet. He likewise turned her away, being too much employed to extend a charity. Later still he met a little child, lost in the great city and sobbing for his mother. But the man was too busy and left the kindness to the little child for someone else to do.

In the evening he prayed, "Oh, Lord, I have looked for you all day; why did you not come?" And the Lord said, "I have been to see you three times today but you received me not. I was the old man, I was the sad woman, I was the lonely child."

Let us learn from this that the world is not only a beautiful place in which to live but a much more beautiful place in which to serve. Therefore, launch out into the deep.

And now I must say farewell. Older people tell us that the happiest times of life are our school days. Certainly we have had a good time together; we have been anxious to reach this goal; we have worked hard to get here—but now we are loathe to quit.

Our associations have been very pleasant, our tasks have not been burdensome; we have read many good books, have become acquainted with the best authors, have read prose, poetry and song, have learned somewhat of science, some of the great truths of air, water, rocks, planets, stars;

we have studied the plants, trees, flowers and birds; we have even dared to face mathematics and met with pleasure the binomial theorem, quadratics and logarithms; we have studied the points, lines, planes and solids—and all these things have added to our joy and our happiness. Is it a wonder, then, that we are sad at the thought of parting?

I must say farewell to the sacred scenes about us. This stage, these walls, the curtains, the banners and the flag are all sacred, and to them I say farewell!

And, teachers: We cannot express to you our deep gratitude and thanks. We will love, respect and honor you thru all the years to come. You have directed our minds and helped us to overcome great difficulties, and it is your encouragement that inspires us to seek further knowledge and do greater and better things. It grieves our heart very much to say goodbye to you who have been so faithful and patient with us.

And now my dear classmates, I bid you farewell! we have had many happy moments together. Our studies and recitations have been our chief delights. These years have been sweet ones and friendship's ties have grown very strong, my dream of life may not be yours, according to our prophet, our futures differ very much. I trust and pray that all our lives may be useful and successful—that none of us will make a shipwreck on the ocean of life, but that each one of our barques that they be separated far in mid-ocean will all finally reach and anchor in that beautiful home of the soul, the shoreland of heaven.

Good Clean Movies

Manager A. C. Brown of the Pearl Theatre has booked "The White Horseman" to run for 18 consecutive nights. This is one of the cleanest pictures ever produced.

Each week day night two episodes of this play will be shown, together with other moral, legitimate pictures. Mr. Brown will not permit any pictures of indecent nature to be shown here and the most modest and pure-minded person may safely attend his shows without fear of being offended. On the other hand you will be highly entertained. Mr. Brown says the liberal patronage given him is evidence of public approval.

Let 100 Do The Same

Craftsville, Ky. May 24-1922
Dear Editor: enclosed please find \$1.50 for another years subscription to the Eagle.

M. D. Bates

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EDITORIALLY

THERE never was a time in all the history of this country when united action in the way of moral, civil and religious uplift was more needed than now. Around the big Kentucky coal fields a great and peculiar future circles. The eyes of the whole world both financial and social are upon us. We have only to clinch our teeth and with a stiff upper lip witness the oncoming tide. Under such circumstances many will lose self control and be swept off their feet, while others will steel themselves for the conditions and march on with them. Now, in union, coupled with understanding and good will, there is strength aplenty. We'll need to get together, understand each other better and work together for each other's good. Better roads, better churches, better schools and a stronger moral fabric and we march on to a greater and nobler Commonwealth. Get together in spirit and deeds as well as words.

THERE is a good deal of agitation prevalent among our people as to whether Letcher county should build the connecting link on the Dixie Highway from Jenkins to Pound Gap to connect with the Virginia system of highways, or undertake the building of the road leading across Pine mountain to the Cumberland section and on to connect with Harlan county. On July 1 this year the county will have \$279,000 to



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WATCH THIS SPACE

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It is reported that Ex-Judge Fess Whitaker will soon enter the field as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Congress in our district.

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